

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554**

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In the Matter of)	EB Docket No. 14-82
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PATRICK SULLIVAN)	FRN: 0003749041, 0006119796,
(Assignor))	0006149843, 0017196064
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and)	Facility ID No. 146162
)	
LAKE BROADCASTING, INC.)	File No. BALFT-20120523ABY
(Assignee))	
)	
For Commission Consent to the Assignment of)	
License of FM Translator Station W238CE,)	
Montgomery, Alabama)	

ORDER

Issued: December 2, 2016

Released: December 2, 2016

During the November 17, 2016 Status Conference, counsel for Lake Broadcasting, Inc. (Lake Broadcasting) noted that Tammy Gremminger, a proposed expert witness for the Enforcement Bureau (Bureau), had promised that she would provide documents that corroborated her qualifications.¹ But at the Status Conference, Bureau counsel represented that these qualification documents had not yet been received. The Bureau was then given a deadline of November 30, 2016 to produce them.

On November 30, 2016 (the deadline), the Bureau filed a motion requesting an extension, because they had not yet heard from Ms. Gremminger despite repeated follow-ups. Lake Broadcasting opposed the request for more time, arguing that: (1) Lake Broadcasting has already been attempting to get the documents for almost two months; and (2) Ms. Gremminger should be disqualified as an expert witness for her failure to show her qualifications.

As for Lake Broadcast's second argument, the Presiding Judge has already made clear that the question of Ms. Gremminger's expertise is inappropriate at this time, since the Bureau has not yet tendered her as an expert witness.

¹ The Bureau represented, which Lake Broadcasting did not contest, that Lake Broadcasting has "requested certifications Ms. Gremminger had received in the area of sex offender training and a list of Missouri state cases in which she [had] been qualified to testify as an expert witness." Enforcement Bureau's Request for Extension to Provide Expert's Documentation at 1 n.1.

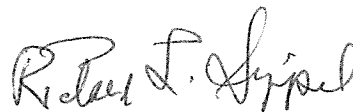
The Presiding Judge is more sympathetic to Lake Broadcasting's complaint that it has been seeking these documents for some time. However, given that Ms. Gremminger "is volunteering her testimony and evidence *gratis*," and agreed to assist the Bureau only to the extent that it does not interfere with her regular workload,² the Presiding Judge considers the brief extension requested by the Bureau not unreasonable.

Accordingly, the Bureau's request for an extension of time to provide Ms. Gremminger's documents **IS GRANTED**.

The Bureau now has until the close of business on **Thursday, December 15, 2016** to provide the requested qualification documents to Lake Broadcasting's counsel. If the Bureau is still unable to make contact with Ms. Gremminger by that time, there shall be a telephone conference or another status conference on order of the Presiding Judge to determine the next course of action.

SO ORDERED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION³



Richard L. Sippel
Chief Administrative Law Judge

² See *id.* at 1.

³ Courtesy copies of this Order will be sent by email on the date of issuance to all counsel.